



## Help Pass the End Racial Profiling Act of 2004

**Take Action!**

**Sign and circulate this petition**

Senator \_\_\_\_\_  
United States Senate  
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Senator \_\_\_\_\_,

**As your constituents, we strongly urge you to cosponsor and otherwise support the End Racial Profiling Act (ERPA) of 2004.** This bipartisan legislation, introduced in the Senate by Senator Feingold, and in the House by Congressman Conyers would outlaw racial profiling by law enforcement officials in the U.S. Not only is racial profiling an onerous practice that violates the United States Constitution and international treaties to which the U.S. is party, it is an unreliable and ineffective tool for law enforcement. Building on the Department of Justice 2003 guidelines and the initiatives of at least two dozen states, ERPA would institute a general prohibition on profiling based on race, religion, ethnicity or national origin by federal, state or local law enforcement. It would create a process by which law enforcement can receive, investigate and respond to complaints of racial profiling and also would call on the Attorney General to submit yearly reports to Congress to monitor progress. We strongly urge you to cosponsor the End Racial Profiling Act of 2004 and actively support its passage.

Signed,

City and State

---

---

---

---

---

---

---

---

---

---

Please make copies of this petition, gather signatures at meetings and events, and mail completed petitions to the office of your U.S. Senator by May 14, 2004.